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THURSDAY, June 7, 1753.

Mr. GREEN, June 5, 1753.
PLEASE to insert the under written, in this Week's Paper, and in so doing, you will much oblige your Customer,
A PLANTER.

UPON perusing your News Paper, of the 5th of April, I found a Paragraph, urg'd by a Person, who subscribes *George Meanwell*; and what he said, is in favour of our Inspection Law: The Gentleman may justly subscribe himself *Meanwell*, for aught I know; but I am sure he is far from speaking well: He is been very candid in giving his Opinion upon an Inspection Law, shewing, that it has been of great Advantage to this Province; but my Sentiments on that Head, will not allow me to join with him in his Opinion, for I am certain that the Inspection Law has been of no general Advantage to the Country. As he says, he insinuates he is a Well-wisher to his Country, but I think he is not one; because no Man, in my Opinion, is a Well-wisher to his Country, who pleads in Behalf of the Inspection Law: For what Experience we have already had of such a Law, plainly appears, that it has not been of an Advantage to the Country; and I am afraid it never will, should it continue ever such a Term of Years. We see daily, by the Accounts of Sales for Tobacco, which has been shipp'd for these last two or three Years, has not been higher than what we used to have before the Inspection Law was made, and in the Time of War also, when Freight was at sixteen Pounds per Ton, which was at that Time a great Disadvantage to the Accounts for Tobacco: The Accounts of Sales must make it appear, whether the Law has been of an Advantage, or not. As to my own Accounts, they are not so good now, as they were before the Law was made; and by what Information I have from many Gentlemen Planters, their Accounts are as low; which, if true, where is the Fruits of the Inspection Law? Why, I will answer, it was lost the first Year of it's being in Force, but not the Charges with it; no, the Charges still continues, and many of my poor Brother Planters feels it: And should the Law be revived, we must labour under many Charges, or more than we now do: But I hope the Legislative Power will ease us of our Burden, by throwing down a Law that has been only for the Interest of a few.

I must now take upon me to answer Mr. *Meanwell*, in a few Points, which he has given the Public, in regard to the Inspection Law. The Gentleman says, that the Expence of the new Law is overcome, and the Hardships is removed: In that Point, I must beg Leave to say, he is wrong in his Assertion; for the Expence which attends the Law, will never be at an End, while the Law continues, which is evident: We are at the Charge of Inspecting our Tobacco; we are also at the Charge of repairing the Houses, Scales, and Weights, &c. and how can Mr. *Meanwell* be right in his Assertion, by saying, the Burden is overcome. Mr. *Meanwell* also says, what must become of the poor industrious Planter, who has a Family to Support, in case the Law should fail? Indeed my Sentiments on that Point, tells me, he will do much better without the Law, than with it: For every reasoning Man must allow, it's a Hardship on poor Tenants, who give seven or eight hundred Pounds of Tobacco per Year, for their Rent, and will not perhaps make near that Quantity good, so as to pass Inspection (for we cannot make our Tobacco Good as we please), and if the poor Tenant's Tobacco should not pass, what must be the Consequence? Why, it is thus, he will have no Tobacco to pay his Landlord, neither will he have any to Support himself or Family in any Shape: This indeed we must say is a Hardship: But when there is no Inspection Law, if the poor Tenant's Tobacco should not be so good as to please his Landlord, he may dispose of it to some other; and if he should get but a small Price for it, it's much better

than having it destroyed: So that I must affirm, that the poor Planters is in a much worse Condition under the Law, than if there was no Inspection Law at all. Mr. *Meanwell* says, that before the Law, Merchants oblige the Planters to carry their Tobacco to such Places, where they kept Scales and Weights; but I find the Officers could not do the same. As for my Part, I never paid the Merchants, by carrying my Tobacco, to their Bye Places of Inspection, as I may so call it. I am sure it is not in the Merchants Power to compel their Debtors to do so; there is no Law to support them in doing so: If the Merchants had a Right, Why did not the Clergy, Sheriffs, and other Officers, do the same? Because there is no Law to support them. It is needless for me to answer Mr. *Meanwell* in all his Points, because too many of them are not worthy of Notice. I will not trouble my Fellow Planters with any Thing more at present, but shall wait another Opportunity.

I am, Brother Planters,
A Well-wisher for no Inspection Law,
A PLANTER.

V E N I C E, February 24.

THE Court of Spain continues to make Remittances to Italy, where 'tis reckoned the Treasurers of that Power have actually above six Millions of Pistres in their Hands, Part of which, 'tis said, is to be employed in Trade, and the rest in War, for what we know.

Leghorn, Feb. 16. The Corsicans have published a Manifesto in Vindication of their late Violence, importing, "That they entertain the sincerest Sentiments of Regard and Submission to the King of France; but that they are persuaded his Majesty is kept in the Dark with relation to their Affairs, and the Conditions on which they delivered their tenable Ports to the Marquis de Cursay;" of whose Recall they complain bitterly.

The Delineations of Mr. de Cursay's Conduct while he commanded in Corsica, differ greatly. At Genoa they represent him as a Man of a turbulent Ambition, who would act as Master, and suffer no Equal. At Paris, his Enemies give out, that to his Pride and Obstinacy the ill Success of the Affairs of Corsica is owing; and that his not acting in Concert with the Genoese Commissioners, overturned the Measures of the Court, and hindered the Submission of the Corsicans. But his Friends, perhaps with more Truth, throw all the Blame on the rigid and cruel Policy of the Republicans. The Marquis, they say, is a Man of excellent Sense, and perfectly acquainted with the Genius of the People with whom he had to do. He knew that the fierce and haughty Maxims of the Genoese were very improper to prevail with Minds by Nature Enemies to Dependence and Slavery, fostered by the ill Treatment they had frequently received, and filled with Aversion for Masters whom they considered as Tyrants, and Invaders of their Liberties. The Marquis, knowing that moderate Measures alone could prove effectual, and that he behoved to refine their Manners, and make them lay aside their Roughness and Intractability, after the Example of the wisest Legislators called in the Assistance of the Arts and Sciences to civilize these Islanders, and by inspiring them with Politeness to teach them Submission. But this System, too moderate and gentle in the Eyes of the Republic of Genoa, and too much for the Honour of the Gentleman who planned and followed it, stirred up the jealousy of the Commissary Grimaldi, and, though him, the Distrust of the Genoese. A Scheme for effecting his Disgrace was immediately formed. They practised every Art to set the Ministry of Versailles against him. Every Plan of Conduct which he laid down, was represented as a Conspiracy and Scheme to promote his boundless Ambition. All his seemingly ambiguous Steps, were brought together to form a real and incontestable Crime. The Truth of these Suggestions of his Friends is evident from the Or-

ders given by the King for his Release from the Castle of Antibes. And this first Step towards Liberty is an Earnest of his speedy Enjoyment of it entire. It gives him an Opportunity of displaying his Innocence in the best Light, of stopping the Mouths of his Enemies, and covering them with Confusion. In short, the Question is now, how to make him proper Reparation: And it will be done. The Genoese conspired his Ruin, and wanted to incense his Prince against him. But Lewis, before he struck, regarded on whom the Blow was to fall. He saw at his Feet Innocence and Merit, whom they endeavoured to oppress; and instead of crushing, stretched out his Arm to raise them. The King is just, the Marquis innocent, and the Genoese odious at Versailles.

Amsterdam, Feb. 25. The Admiralty have lately put into Commission four Men of War, one of 30, and three of 20 Guns.

Vienna, Feb. 22. Yesterday, and the Day before, two grand Conferences were held on the Account the Court has received from London; and does, according to all Appearance, relate to the Dispute between the King of Great Britain and his Prussian Majesty. Their Imperial Majesties interest themselves very much in the Affair, and 'tis hoped their good Offices will prevent its being attended with any bad Consequences.

Madrid, March 6. The King intending to put his Troops upon the same Footing as they were before the Reduction of them, which was made the Year after the Peace at Aix la Chapelle, has given Orders to augment the Infantry with 9000 Men, and the Cavalry with 3000. This Court has caused Representations to be made to that of London, concerning the Behaviour of Admiral Knowles to the Spanish Privateers which were stop'd by the Ships belonging to his Squadron, it appearing to this Court to have been too arbitrary; but the British Court has given for Answer, that great Care was taken to prevent these Complaints, by ordering Admiral Knowles to proceed in these Affairs with the greatest Circumspection, and to treat as Pyrates, such Ships only as made an ill Use of the Spanish Flag, and for that Reason deserved no Indulgence.

Hague, March 9. The Dispositions, which, Letters from several Quarters tell us, the French are making on the Side of Lorraine, Alsace, Languedoc, and Provence, serve to confirm the Advice we lately gave. According to those Letters, the Intention of assembling a Body of Troops on the Moselle, and on the Rhine, is to make the Elector of Mentz consider what he is about, since they will be at hand to make him repent it, if he should act contrary to the Pleasure of the Court of Versailles: As if that Court had the Superintendence of the Empire, and the Arch Chancellor behoved to wait for the Permission to discharge the Function of his Office. The Affair in Question is the convoking an Electoral Dyet for the Dispatch of Business relating to the Germanic Body. For this the Permission of the Emperor alone is requisite: And if that Prince should resent it, he is engaged by his Capitulation not to resent their proceeding to Business without his Permission. But say they, the French King, by the Treaty of Westphalia, is Guarantee of the Tranquility of the Empire, and bound to see its Constitutions observed. True; but what Commotions are there in the Empire? Which of its Constitutions is infringed? On the contrary, the Convocation has for its Object the Observation of its Constitutions. Besides this, has the Guarantee a Right to enter the Empire with an armed Force before he be applied to for his Assistance?

As to the Camps to be formed in Provence and Languedoc; the Troops are to be sent thither, first, to ease the inland Provinces of the Kingdom, in which Subsistence for them doth not abound. Secondly, on Account of the Affairs in Corsica; where, some People say, the French Troops will be continued, in Resentment of the Behaviour of the Islanders, in driving them by Force from the

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Pods that had been put into their Hands. The French Court is also afraid lest some other Power should find its Advantage in protecting the Malecontents, who perhaps would dispose of themselves to the first Bidder, rather than return under the tyrannic Yoke of the Genoese, for such it certainly was.

Upon the Whole: Those who are acquainted with the miserable Condition of the Inland Provinces of France; the threatening Symptoms of a Schism in the Church, of an Insurrection of the People incensed against the Clergy, and with the Commotions in Britany, occasioned by the Banishment of the principal Noblesse, are persuaded, these different Circumstances will confirm the King and his Ministry in the pacific Sentiments they have hitherto discovered: Besides Madame the Duchess is for Peace; and the Controller General of the Finances will not, it is probable, advise a War.

Edinburg, Feb. 15. The Post Boy with the London Mail, in his Way from Edinburgh to Had-dington, fell into a snow Wreath, where he almost perished. The Mail did not arrive from London 'till late last Night, the Roads being almost impassable for Snow: The Post Boy from Linlithgow with the Glasgow Mail, lost his Horse in the Snow, and with much Difficulty saved himself and the Mail.

Glasgow, Feb. 7. The River Clyde rose here, last Night, higher than has been known these 40 Years, occasioned by the Rains melting the great Falls of Snow, and happening at the Full of the Moon, and a strong Wind from South, all the lower Part of the City was overflow'd.

Much Mischief has happened in many Parts of the North of England, from the late Snows, and the succeeding heavy Rains; particularly at Don-caster, where 4 Men were lost in crossing the River, which was swell'd to a surprizing Degree, and their Post was detained by the Floods, near a Day and a half.

LONDON, March 26.

There is an Account from Africa, that two Men of War, and several small Sloops were on the Coast of Guiney to protect the British Trade in those Parts.

They write from Cadiz of the 8th Instant, that the Night before, and all that Day, they had a violent Storm, which forced several Ships to Sea, and others ashore; and the Gale continued when the Advices came away.

Capt. Nathaniel Pierce, of the Brigantine called the Portsmouth, belonging to Mr. Robert Osborne, Merchant of Piscataqua, in New England, left that Port about the 22d of November, 1752, bound to Louisburg, with a Cargo chiefly of Lumber. The Crew, besides the Commander, consisting of the following Persons, viz. Nathaniel Barnes, Mate; David Brown, William Langdon, Timothy Cotton, Longford, a Negro Man, all Residents of Piscataqua; besides William Williams of Liverpool; Thomas Chambers, of some Part of the North of England, and John Ollson, a Dutchman; in all nine in Number.

They proceeded on their intended Voyage with favourable Winds, and made the Coast of Cape Breton, at about 10 Leagues to the Westward, the first of December. There came that Day a Gale of Wind Easterly, with a Storm of Snow, and exceeding cold. The Crew being much fatigued with it, pressed the Captain to make the best of his Way to the Southward, which was immediately done by general Consent; the Cargo which was on board being proper for the West India Market. The Wind the 2d of December was more moderate, and not blowing over hard, until the 4th in the Night, when a Storm arose at W. N. W. and they continued before the Wind the remaining Part of the Night. The next Day the Storm continuing, about four in the Afternoon, the Pump was suck'd; about five the Captain and Crew found they had sprung a Leak, and required both Pumps, which were set to Work directly; but notwithstanding all they could do, it continued gaining upon them; and about 8 in the Evening they found the Vessel to be full of Water, and Pumping to be of no Manner of Service. They had all this Time no Sail set, excepting the Foresail, which they secured as soon as possible; and got the Fore Yard close down, the Vessel then remaining to the Mercy of the Seas and full of Water. The Crew had then no Thoughts in this dismal Situation, but to secure what Provision and Water they could, and get some salt Pork and Beef from out of the Steerage, and likewise two small Cheeses. The Meat they secured by making a Hole, and then putting a Rope through it, with which they tied it to the Quarter Deck, which was the only Part that remained out of the Water. The Negro Man, Longford by Name, and Cook, were both lost that Night.

The second Day after this proved moderate, when they broke open the Forecastle, by which Means two Casks of Water, and a Barrel and Half of Apples, floated to the Scuttle, which they got upon the Quarter Deck, and there secured them. The 9th of December, about the Dusk of the Evening, in a very severe Squall, the Vessel fell on her Star-board Broadside, when the Crew all got in the best Manner they could, on the Broadside to Windward, the Sea making a Breach over them, and very cold. The Squall continued Half an Hour, and then abated: In the Squall William Langdon, and John Ollson were lost; and on looking after what Provision they had secured, found the Water, Apples, and Cheese all gone, and nothing but the Pork and Beef remaining, and the Vessel's upper Deck broke up, not any Thing remaining in it; from this Time they had never a drop of Water, but what the Heavens at Times afforded them, and no other Sustenance but the Salt Pork. Either the 12th or 13th David Brown proved delirious, often asking for Beer, Cyder, and other Liquors, and was in the Night lost. From this to the 15th they had some light Showers of Hail, but could save but a small Quantity, which each as soon as they had got it eagerly devoured, and gave them small Relief. The 16th Nathaniel Barnes, the Mate, died upon the Deck with Hunger and Cold, and was thrown into the Sea. The 17th the Lumber that was between Decks, was chiefly washed away, and the Remainder of the Crew thought it best, if by any Means they could, to cut away their Main-mast. There were Carpenters and other Tools in the Steerage, which was then full of Water, and no Possibility of getting them but by diving, which Capt. Pierce himself did, and recovered an Iron Crow, and a Carpenter's Axe, by the Help of which they cut away the Main-mast. The Day after this Timothy Cotton proved delirious, jump'd overboard, and was drowned. Capt. Pierce, with the two remaining Men, were now in the greatest Distress, and on the 19th Thomas Chambers, and Williams were both delirious, having frequently drank their own Urine. There was then a hard Gale of Wind, and the Sea broke very much over them, on which Day the two last mentioned Men were washed overboard. Capt. Pierce from this Day, the 19th, to the 24th, remained alone, expecting every Moment to be his last, but was happily delivered by the Elizabeth, Capt. Martin, bound from Halifax in Nova Scotia, to Oporto. They had no Bread from the Day they were wreck'd, and had no Liquor but that aforementioned.

March 12. On Friday Night last was married the Rt. Hon. the Lord BALTIMORE, to the Lady DIANA ECERTON, youngest Daughter to the Duke of Bridgewater, at her Grace's House in Cavendish Square.

March 13. Yesterday the Rt. Hon. the Lord BALTIMORE and his new married Lady, were at St. James's to wait on his Majesty, and were most graciously received.

March 17. His Majesty has been pleased to approve of HORATIO SHARPE, Esq; to be Governor of Maryland, upon the Appointment of the Rt. Hon. FREDERICK Lord Baltimore, Lord and Proprietary of that Province.

BOSTON, May 1.

Extract of a Letter from Halifax, dated April 1753.

"Last Sunday arrived here two Men in an Indian Canoe, who tell the following Story: That about three Months ago, they with two more went from hence in a small Schooner to trade with the French this Side Louisburg; that they put into a Place called Toibay 7 Leagues this Side Canoe, in the Morning they were attack'd by three Indian Canoes; they having but one Musket on board struck to them; and as soon as they got them on Shore, kill'd two, out of the four, and made these two Servants to the chief Indians, and loaded them very hard in Burthens up the Country to their Governor, as they call'd him: In this Service, and cutting Wood, they continued about six Weeks; and on the Sunday before last in the Morning, four Indians went on board the Schooner to get more Stores, and left these two Men in a Wigwam, with a Squaw, and a Boy of about 12 Years of Age; they then came to a Resolution to kill them, which they did, and three Dogs; then took their two Guns and loaded them afresh, with two Balls each, and lay in Ambush for the four Indians coming on Shore, and just as they came on Shore they shot two of them, and with their Hatchets closed with the other two, and kill'd them, altho' they were arm'd: They have brought six Scalps with them, and all their Household Furniture and Furs. They call themselves the Cape Breton Indians, and were determin'd to attack the Mickmacks for making the Peace.—The two Men report, that there

is a New England Sloop on Shore in the same Place; and all the Men lie dead on the Beach.

PHILADELPHIA.

May 18. On the 26th ult. at a Court of Oyer and Terminer held at York, one John Swain was indicted, and found guilty, of the Murder of John Reilly, and received Sentence of Death.

And on the Monday following Catharine Reynolds was tried at Lancaster, for the Murder of her Bastard Child; which being clearly prov'd against her, she likewise received Sentence of Death. And Weston Rakes, and ——— Boyd, were indicted for the Murder of Catharine Shreiner; when Boyd was acquitted, and Rakes found guilty of Manslaughter, for which he was burnt in the Hand.

Tuesday last Capt. William Haselton arrived here from Jamaica; in his Passage he took up, and brought in with him, Part of the Crew of the Ship Two Brothers, Capt. Coates, of London, who was cast away (homeward bound) in the Gulf of Florida, on the 27th of last Month; the rest of the People were taken up by Capt. Bellamy, designed for London.

May 7. From Burlington we have Advice, that one John Shores was tried, at the Supreme Court held there, for stealing a Cow, of which he was convicted, and burnt in the Hand.

Extract of a Letter from Reading, May 13.

"Last Week the House and Barn of Nicholas Warner, a Farmer, about three Miles from this Town, were burnt down; it is not known how it happened. And the Week before a House and Barn, about five Miles off, were burnt down by Fire, which had spread far and wide, upon burning the Woods, an unlawful and dangerous Practice, by which some Plantations have suffered much in this County, and several Houses have been destroyed in Lancaster County, this Spring. On Friday last a Person was committed to Goal here, for attempting to pass a Counterfeit Coin, in Imitation of a German Caroline."

ANNAPOLIS.

We hear from Somerset County, that at a Special Court of Oyer and Terminer, held there a few Days ago, for the Trial of some of the Heads of the Blacks, concerned in the late intended Insurrection, one free Malatto was sentenced to be whipp'd and pillory'd, and one Negro to suffer Death.

One Day last Week, a Sea Turtle, which weigh'd upwards of Ninety Pounds, was caught with a Hook and Line, as high up our Bay as the Mouth of Chester.

Within a few Days have arrived from London, the Captains Seller, Cooper, Hooper, Stupart, Hall, Richardson, and Askew.

Capt. Richardson, who left London the 16th of April, brings Word, that Capt. Cockson, with whom our Governor is to come, would certainly sail in a Week after him, so that he may now be every Day expected.

Custom House, Annapolis, Entered since May 24. Snow Betty, Robert King, from Bideford; Ship Savannah, William Cooper, from London; Snow Binks, John Seller, from London; Schooner Charles, Thomas Palmer, from Virginia; Ship Generous Friend, Sedgewick, from Havre de Grace; Ship Prince Edward, I. Blackburn, from London; Ship Owner's Supply, T. Hooper, from London; Snow Alliance, George Fortune, from Leith; Ship Buchanan, James Hall, from London; Ship Apollo, Joseph Richardson, from London; Ship Unity, Thomas Askew, from London; Ship Speedwell, Alexander Stupart, from London.

Cleared for Departure,

Ship Mary, James Taylor, for Lisbon.

To be Sold by Samuel Soumaien, at his House in Annapolis,

A NEAT Eight Day Clock, and a Spring Clock which Chimes and Re-peats; some very valuable Gold, Silver, and Pinchbeck Watches; and all Sorts of Gold and Silver Work, both large and small; Coral Necklaces for Children; Afro Sperma Ceti, Wax, and Tallow Candles; Cheshire Cheese; Olives; Capers; Citron; and Lisbon Lemons; Hyson, and other Teas; Mustard Seed; white Rope for Bed Cords; Diaper for Table Cloths; Sheetting Linnen; and many other Things, at very reasonable Rates.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of Mr. Zachariah Maccubbin, deceased, are desired to make Payment; and all Claims against the said Estate are desired to be brought in, to **Nicholas Maccubbin, Ex-ecutor.**

To be Sold by the Subscriber, in

ANNAPOLIS,

A SCHOONER, which will carry 500 Bushels, with Sails, Rigging, &c. fit for the Bay Trade.

As also, A good Flat, which will carry Twelve Hogheads of Tobacco, or Six Cords of Wood.

The Subscriber has also purchased a very good Silver Smith and Jeweller, who can do any Thing in that Way: He likewise makes all Manner of Mourning Rings, as well as can be made in London; and all Persons wanting any Thing made, or mended, may depend on being faithfully served, by *Their humble Servant,*

John Inch.

Maryland, Patapsco, June 4, 1753.

EIGHT PISTOLES REWARD.

RAN away from the Baltimore

Iron Works, on Saturday Night last, being the 2d Instant, two English Convict Servant Men, belonging to Charles Carroll, Esq; and Company; viz. John Williams, born in Herefordshire, and bred a Farmer, aged about 30 Years, of a brown Complexion, middle Stature, well set, has a broad Face, a great Blemish in one of his Eyes, speaks broad, and his Head lately shaved.

John Oulton, born in the Country, but bred mostly in London, speaks good English, is likewise of middle Stature, but a smaller Man than Williams, is a smooth spoken Fellow, of a whitish Complexion, light Hair, and pretty much pock mark'd. They have left most of their working Cloaths behind them, and stole the following; viz. a long skirted white Cloth Coat pretty much worn, trimm'd with white Metal Buttons, and double breasted, a Felt Hat, a Pair of white Yarn Stockings, two white Shirts, two Pair of Negro Shoes, a Pair of neat wooden heel'd Pumps, a new Bearskin Coat of a darkish Colour, trimm'd with Metal Buttons, a brown Cloth Waistcoat without Sleeves, a Pair of striped Holland Breeches, two odd Buckles, two or three Pair of new Crocus Trowsers, a brown and a grizzle Wig, and may have other Things.

They have taken with them two Cart Horses, both Bay; one of them pretty large, and very old, but cannot remember the Brand, and gaul'd a little on the Shoulders; the other a well turn'd Horse, in good Order, about nine Years old, a Star in his Forehead, both of them bob'd short, and shod all round, and the Shoes stamp thus, *

Whoever secures the said Runaways in any Goal, within 30 Miles from said Works, shall have Fifty Shillings for each; if 50 Miles from said Works, Three Pounds Ten Shillings for each; and if taken out of the Province, Four Pistoles for each; and reasonable Charges, if brought home.

Richard Croxall.

June 4, 1753.

RAN away from the Falls of

Rappahannock River, Virginia, about the latter End of last February, two Servants, belonging to the Subscriber; viz. John Dennison, a Shoemaker, about 5 Feet and a half high, betwixt 32 and 33 Years of Age, slim, and well made, of a pale Complexion, and has a smooth insinuating Way of Talking; he has an Excrecence hanging to the lower Part of one of his Ears, in form of a Pendulum: His Dress is uncertain, as he carried Variety of Cloaths with him; viz. a Thunder and Lightning Coat, a blue German Serge one, a dark colour'd Frize New market one, a white and a pale Wig. Hannah, Wife to the above Dennison, she is middle siz'd, tolerable handsome, and appears to be about 25 Years of Age, her Nose is flat and short, and her Face is round: Her Dress too is uncertain, as the likewise had Variety of Cloaths; but much better than can be expected for one in her Station. They carried with them a Horse (I don't remember his Colour), and a white Mare.

Whoever apprehends the said Runaways, may apply to Mr. Jonas Green, in Annapolis, who will pay SIX POUNDS Reward for the Two, or Three Pounds for each, with reasonable Charges.

Daniel Campbell.

N. B. 'Tis supposed they are about Lancaster Town, as they enquired the Way thither.

WHEREAS Mr. William Hunt,

Merchant, in London, has constituted me the Subscriber, his Attorney in Fact, for Transacting his Affairs in this Province: This is, therefore, to require all those indebted to the said Hunt, to make immediate Payments, otherwise they must expect Trouble, from

Lancelot Jacques.

May 23, 1753.
THE Subscribers having received Letters from the Trustees, appointed by the Creditors of Mr. Charles Carnan, of London, Merchant, give this Notice, That they, by their said Letters, have promised, and do engage themselves, to pay all just Demands against said Carnan's Estate, in this Province; and that they have appointed Mr. Daniel Chamier (who may be expected in this Province every Day), and Mr. John Carnan, to settle and adjust the same: And in order to satisfy every one concerned, have thought proper to mention the Names of said Trustees, with their Characters, Word for Word, in said Letter, under Messieurs John Hanbury and John Buchanan's Hands, which, we hope, will be sufficient, to prevent any further Expence to said Carnan's Estate.

*David Arnold,
Rowland Carnan.*

Jabez Bloxham, Charles Worrall, } Trustees.
Thomas Harrop, John Baron, }
Henry Voght, James Gibson, }

WE the underwritten, do declare to all to whom it may concern, That the above written Trustees are Persons of undoubted Reputation and Credit, capable of making good any Engagement they may undertake, and to us well known; as Witnesses our Hands,
JOHN HANBURY,
JOHN BUCHANAN.

N. B. The said Trustees also write, That satisfactory Account of Sales, will be render'd for all the Tobacco, confign'd to said Carnan, with all convenient Speed.

D. A.
R. C.

RAN away on the 21st of this

Instant May, from Col. Taylor's Mine Bank, in Baltimore County, near Patapsco Falls, three New Negro Men, named George, Dick, and Frank. Two of them had on when they went away, Cotton Jackets, and the other Plaines of a dark Colour.

Whoever takes up the said Negroes, and brings them to the Subscriber, at the said Mine Bank, shall have Twenty Shillings for each, besides what the Law allows, if taken out of the County.

2 *John Hartshorne.*

To be Sold by the Subscriber in ANNAPOLIS,

BEST London Crown Glafs, 8 by 12, 10 by 12, and 6 by 4. Glaziers drawn Lead and Soder, House Paints, viz. Red, Blue, Green, Yellow, Olive, Mohogany, Lead, and Stone Colours; White Lead and Vermilion; also Linseed Oil, and paint Brushes.

2 *Beale Bordley.*

STRAY'D from the Lanca-

shire Iron Works, in Baltimore County, at the Head of Back River, sometime in the Month of May, 1752, the two following Creatures; viz. One a brown Bay Horse, well set, near 14 Hands high, paces slow, goes wide behind, has some Saddle Spots on his Back, a bushy Mane and Tail, and branded on the near Buttock U.

The other a small Black Mare, made very long, one hind Foot white, paces naturally, branded on the near Shoulder and Buttock S or G, and on the off Shoulder N. C. 'Tis supposed the Mare has a yearling Colt with her, as she was near Foaling when they strayed away. They were both bred in Virginia, and expect they have made towards Rock Creek Ferry, as they have often crof'd there. Any Person that will bring the said Creatures to the above Iron Works, or give Intelligence where they may be had, shall be paid Thirty Shillings Reward, or Fifteen for either, by the Subscriber, living at said Works.

2 *Joseph Watkins.*

Conformable to L A W,

NOTICE is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of Capt. John Garratt, living in Kent County, taken up as a Stray, a small bright Bay Mare, about three Years old, with a large Blaze in her Face, neither dock'd nor branded, and her two fore Feet white.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

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Conformable to L A W,
NOTICE is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of Mr. Thomas Rutland, about 4 Miles from Annapolis, taken up as a Stray, a small Black Horse, branded on the near Buttock A, has a very small Star in his Forehead, a long standing Mane, paces a little, and gallops short.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

To be SOLD cheap,
A LARGE new COPPER
KETTLE, which holds about 80 Gallons; also large Iron bound BUTTS holding about 300 Gallons each. Enquire of the Printer hereof.

COMMITTED to the Sheriff of Anne Arundel County, as a Runaway, one Lawrence Dennis, who says, that he indentured himself to one Dr. M'Williams, of St. Mary's County.

His Master may have him again, on Application, paying the Fees, and the Charge of this Advertisement.

May 23, 1753.

RAN away from the Ship Loyal
Judith, Capt. Malachy Foot Commander, now lying in Patuxent River, three Indented Servants; viz.

John Archer, about 5 Feet 3 Inches high, a pale Complexion, a strong well set Man, and is of a good Behaviour. Had on when he went away, a light colour'd Coat, Leather Breeches, and a dark Wig. It is supposed he has a forged Pass.

John Weldon, a House Carpenter and Joiner, a lusty well made Man, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high. Had on when he went away, a blue Jacket and red Breeches.

Thomas Smith, a Cook, about 5 Feet 6 Inches high; he has a light colour'd Coat, and black Jacket; but it is supposed he travels in a Sailor's Habit.

It is imagined they will make for Philadelphia, as Weldon has been in the Country before, and knows the Road that Way.

Whoever takes up the said Runaways, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward for each, beside what the Law allows, paid by

*David Arnold,
at Lower Marlborough.*

May 10, 1753.

RAN away, on Tuesday last, a
Servant Man named William Beall, a Gardener by Trade; is a short thick well set Fellow, with a full broad Face, of a pale swarthy Complexion, with brown Hair, and light Hazle Eyes; he has a Scar or Dent on his right Jaw, and a Sore on his right Leg; and has also several Marks of Correction upon his Back, which were given him for running away before: He was born at Whitehaven, in the North of England, speaks very slow, and is a very palavering Fellow.

Whoever takes him up, and brings him to the Subscriber at Bladenburg, shall receive a Pistole Reward; and if taken fifty Miles from home, Two Pistoles Reward; to be paid by

David Ross:

N. B. He has run away three Times, and was taken up every Time in Kent County.

To be Sold by Public Vendue,
At Upper-Marlborough, at the House of Mr. Benjamin Barry, on Wednesday the 27th of June next,

THE following Tracts of Land, lying in Frederick County; viz.

One Tract, called Gordon's Purchase, containing 150 Acres.

One Tract, called Exchange, containing 700 Acres.

Also, A Lease for three Lives of a Tract of Land, called Fountain Rock Marsh, containing 500 Acres, being Part of his Lordship's Manor, lying in the said County, paying a yearly Quit Rent of Fifty Shillings Sterling.

Credit will be given (if required), for one half of the Purchase Money: For Title and other Terms, enquire of

James Dick.

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RAN away from the Ship *Loyal*

Judith, Capt. Malachy Foot Commander, now lying in Patuxent River, three Sailors; viz.

James Toubanks, a middle siz'd Man, about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, a brown Complexion, long Vifage, mark'd with the Small Pox, and about 33 Years of Age.

Hans Miegel, a Dutchman, about 5 Feet 3 Inches high, a brown Complexion, thin Vifage, and about 30 Years of Age.

John Cradock, a light young Man, about 5 Feet 7 Inches high, with a swarthy Complexion, a small Cast with his Eyes, and about 20 Years of Age.

They took from the Ship a Norway Yawl, painted red and yellow, with Mast, Sails, Oars, Rudder, and Tiller; also 1 Musket, about 20 lb. of Bread with a Bag, a dried Ham, and some Pieces of Beef.

Whoever apprehends the said Sailors, or any of them, so that they may be brought to Justice, shall be intitled to a Reward of Three Pistoles for each, to be paid by the said Captain, or

David Arnold,

at *Lower Marlborough.*

Whoever takes up the said Boat, and gives Notice thereof to the said Captain, shall receive a Pistole Reward.

RAN away from Capt. *William*

Tippell, sometime in March last, the two following Servants, viz.

George Godfrey, a Scotchman, about 25 or 26 Years of Age, of a swarthy Complexion, is pitted with the Small Pox, and of a middle Stature: Had on when he went away, an old Waistcoat, Check Shirt, and Trowsers.

John Williams, about the same Age, a Leather Breeches Maker, and is a short well-set Fellow: Had on a Coat made of Drillings, and a Wig: They pass for Sailors that have been cast away; and were seen at *St. Jerom's*, in *St. Mary's* County; and it is supposed they are gone towards *Tork*, in *Virginia*.

Whoever takes up the said Servants, and secures them, so that they may be had again, shall have Two Pistoles Reward for each, besides what the Law allows, paid by

Samuel Galloway.

For LONDON Directly,



The Ship INDUSTRY,
SAMUEL WOOD
Commander,
Now lying in Patuxco
River.

TAKES on board

TORACCO, on Freight, at Six Pounds Sterling per Ton, consigned to Mr. John Hanbury, or any other Merchant in London. She is British built, and not two Years old.

JAMES HUTCHINGS,

Living at Cow Pen Point, on Kent Island,

HEREBY acquaints the Public, That he will now Ferry over to *Annapolis*, a single Horse and Man in one Boat for Twelve Shillings and Six pence; a single Man for Seven and Six pence; and if more than one, then at Five Shillings a Piece. Having good Boats and Hands; and constant Attendance is given, and Gentlemen may have good Entertainment for themselves, Servants, and Horses, as usual, from

Their humble Servant,

James Hutchings.

To be Sold by the said *Hutchings*, a good SAILING BOAT, 21 Feet Keel, 8 Feet Beam, and near 4 Feet deep, with Sails and Rigging.

COMMITTED to the Sheriff of *Anne Arundel* County, as a Runaway, a NEGRO MAN, who says his Name is *Charles*. He speaks bad English, says he came across the Bay in a Canoe, and that his Master's Name *Thomas*.

His Master may have him again, on Application, paying the Fees, and the Charge of this Advertisement.

NOTICE is hereby given, That

the Subscriber, living on *Susquehanna*, within a Mile of the Lower Ferry, has set up the Invention of Turning of Mill Irons, and Grinding of Axes, by Water: And makes or repairs either of those Articles, very cheap, for ready Money, Wheat, London Steel, or Feathers; and will engage to make as good and substantial Work, well fixed and turn'd off, after the best Manner, as can be done in *Philadelphia*, or any where else: His Work to be delivered either at *Charles Town* Wharf, or at the said Ferry, as his Employers shall direct, Their humble Servant,

Amos Evans.

ANY Person qualified for the

Station of MATE of a SHIP, in the London Trade, who can be well recommended, may hear of a good Birth, by enquiring of

Samuel Galloway.

JUST IMPORTED,

In the *EAGLE*, Capt. JOHN WHITE, from LONDON, and to be SOLD by the Subscriber, at his Store in ANNAPOLIS, at very little Profit either Wholesale or Retail, for Bills of Exchange, Gold, Silver, Paper Money, or Tobacco,

A LARGE Assortment of *European* and *East India* GOODS, Sail Cloth of all Sorts, Anchors of all Sizes from half a hundred to seven hundred, Cables, running Rigging, Bolt Rope, Sail Twine, all Kinds of Lines, and Ship Chandlery: Also several Parcels of Cutlery, sorted in Boxes, of about 16 l. prime Cost.

Stephen West.

STRAYED away from the

Plantation of the Subscriber, within a Mile of the Eastern Branch Ferry, a middle siz'd Black Horse, branded on the near Buttock C, about 4 Years old; and had a Bridle and Saddle on when he strayed away. Also strayed from the same Plantation, a large Dark Bay Mare, with a large Star in her Forehead, a small Snip on her Nose, about 4 Years old, has Saddle Spots on each Side, and has a very round Forehead; when the first strayed away she had Shoes on her fore Feet.

Whoever will bring them to the Subscriber, shall receive Twenty Shillings Currency Reward.

X 6 Jonathan Nixon.

STRAYED away from *Patrick*

Beall, living at *Rock Creek* in *Frederick* County, about the last of February, a likely Bay Horse, about 14 Hands high, branded on the near Buttock W Y, with a Blaze in his Face, has three white Feet, a black Mane and Tail, and paces slow.

Whoever informs the Owner of the said Horse where he may be had again, shall have Ten Shillings Reward.

WHEREAS Madam *Marga-*

ret Ward, deceased, by her last Will, did devise One hundred Pounds Sterling to such of her Relations on the Western Shore as *Richard Brunetti*, Esq; deceased, should direct; and in Case he should die before the Payment thereof, then to such of her Relations as I should direct; and as Mr. *Brunetti* did not direct to whom the said Money should be paid, and as it is unknown to me who of her Relations are in the most necessitous Condition; these are, therefore, to desire her said Relations to repair to me, at *Annapolis*, in the second Week of the next General Assembly, in order that I may direct the Payment of the said Money, as near as may be, according to the Intent of the Testatrix.

Edward Lloyd.

WHEREAS there is a Va-

cancy for a Master in *Queen Anne's* County School: Any Person professing himself a Member of the Church of England, and capable of teaching Grammar, Mathematics, Arithmetic, and good Writing, applying to the Visitors of said School, will meet with as much Encouragement as the Law relating to Free Schools will support them in.

Signed per Order,

23 Nathan Wright, Reg.

RAN away from the Subscriber,

living on *Patuxco* River in *Baltimore* County, the following Servants, viz.

A Convict Man named *Isaac Gingle*, a Farmer, born in the West of England, speaks bad English, and very quick: He had on a blue Jacket; his other Cloaths but indifferent; he has a rooping Walk, and a swarthy Complexion. He went away the last Day of July past.

Thomas Brown, who ran away in December last, by Trade a Brickmaker, and was since taken up at *Potomack*, but since made his Escape; he is about 5 Feet 4 Inches high, about 50 Years old, his Hair black, mix'd with some white Hair: He had on a brown Jacket, an old Check Shirt, Leather Breeches, Negro Shoes; he was on the Expedition against *Canada*, talks much, loves Drink, sings, and is very active and nimble.

Edward Meacham, who ran away last March, is a Convict Servant, has been several Years in the Country, is about 40 Years of Age, pretends to be a Schoolmaster, and where he is not known may set up for a Parson or Preacher: He is about five Feet six Inches high, had on a brown Jacket, an Osnabrigs Shirt, Worsted Cap, Leather Breeches, and channel'd Pumps.

William Fitch, a Convict, who ran away with the abovementioned *Meacham*, is a lusty Fellow, of a black Complexion, is hard of hearing, has a sore Leg, and has been in the Army many Years, but knows very little of any Kind of Work. He had on a white Cotton Jacket and Breeches, an Osnabrigs Shirt, and Channel'd Pumps.

Whoever takes up the said Servants, or any of them, and will bring them to the Subscriber, shall have Six Pounds Reward for each.

John Metcalfe.

S C H E M E OF A L O T T E R Y,

For raising the Sum of THREE HUNDRED PISTOLES, for purchasing a TOWN CLOCK, and cleaning and securing the DOCK, in ANNAPOLIS.

Numb. of Prizes.	Value in Pistoles.	Total.
1 of 100	is 100	
2 of 50	are 100	
4 of 30	are 120	
6 of 20	are 120	
8 of 10	are 80	
55 of 4	are 220	
175 of 2	are 350	
900 of 1	are 900	
1 first drawn	5	
1 last drawn	5	
1153 Prizes,		2000
3447 Blanks		

4600 Tickets, at Half a Pistole each, amount to 2300 Pistoles, from which deduct 300, there will remain to pay off the Prizes, 2000 Pistoles.

The Drawing to begin on the 10th Day of July next, or sooner, if sooner full, in the Court-House, at *Annapolis*, in the Presence of at least three of the Managers, and as many of the Adventurers as shall think fit to attend; and continue Drawing 'til finish'd.

A List of the Prizes to be published in the *Maryland Gazette*, as soon as the Drawing is completed, that the Adventurers may know the Fate of their Tickets.

The Money to be paid to the Fortunate as soon as the Drawing is finish'd; and all Prizes not demanded in eight Months after Drawing, to be deemed as generously given for the above Purposes.

The Managers appointed, are *Benjamin Tasker*, jun. *George Stewart*, *Walter Dulany*, and *Edward Dorsey*, Esqrs. Dr. *Alexander Hamilton*, Messieurs *Robert Swan*, *Lancelot Jacquet*, *William Reynolds*, *Samuel Swaimen*, *Beale Bordley*, *James Maccubbin*, *James Johnson*, and *Jonas Green*, who have given Security, and are upon Oath for the faithful Discharge of their Trust.

The Whole to be conducted, as near as may be in the same Manner as the State Lotteries in England.

Tickets to be had of any of the Managers.

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